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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6611**

**BILL NUMBER:** SB 97

**DATE PREPARED:** Dec 6, 2000

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Curfew law.

**FISCAL ANALYST:** Diane Powers

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**FUNDS AFFECTED:**      **GENERAL  
DEDICATED  
FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** No Fiscal Impact

**Summary of Legislation:** Makes exceptions for circumstances under which the curfew restrictions would not apply to a child who is: (1) accompanied by certain adults; or (2) participating in, going to, or returning from lawful employment or a school sanctioned activity. Provides that it is a defense to a curfew violation if a child was engaged in an activity protected by federal or state law, including the free exercise of religion, freedom of speech, and the right of assembly. Provides that the defense applies only if the child engaged in the activity with the consent of the child's parent, guardian, or custodian. Provides that these new provisions to the curfew law expire July 1, 2002. Repeals a current curfew law provision and reinstates the same language contained in the provision on July 1, 2002. Makes a conforming amendment. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the interim study committee on juvenile and restorative justice.)

**Effective Date:** Upon passage; July 1, 2002.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:**